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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SHUM, MY

SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: INQUIRY INTO DETENTION OF
LEM (OR LIM) HENG SIEW

REF: STATE 048452

1. REP MATHEW MCHUGH (D-N.Y.) HAS FORWARDED CONSTITUENT
CORRESPONDENCE INDICATING SIEW HAS BEEN "ADOPTED" BY
AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL. HE WAS BORN 1940 AND ARRESTED
JUNE 16, 1968 UNDER PROVISIONS INTERNAL SECURITY LEGISLA-
TION. LAST KNOWN TO BE DETAINED BLOCK A SPECIAL DETENTION
CAMP, BATU GAJAH, PERAK STATE. A.I. URGING GOM TO BRING
SIEW TO TRIAL AND REQUESTS STATUS CASE.

2. AS INDICATED REFTEL WE HAVE NO INFORMATION REGARDING
THIS CASE. KNOWLEDGEABLE REPLY TO CONGRESSIONAL THEREFORE
IMPOSSIBLE. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY FOLLOW-UP ON
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INQUIRIES REQUESTED REFTEL. IN INTERIM, DEPT WILL
ACKNOWLEDGE CONGRESSIONAL AND INDICATE THAT CASE IS BEING
LOOKED INTO. VANCE

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